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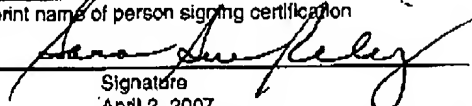
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In response to the Office Action mailed October 5, 2006 in the above identified Application, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks. A separate three (3) month Petition for Extension of Time is concurrently submitted herewith.

Amendments to Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.**CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**

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